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    Cellulosic materials are impregnated with an aq. bath contg. .gtoreq.1
     low-mol.-wt. compd. contg. N-hydroxymethyl and (or) N-alkoxymethyl groups,
     gtoreq.1 acetalization catalyst, and a primary cationic polyethylene
     dispersion. Use of the primary cationic polyethylene dispersion results
    in an overall improvement in tech. properties, esp. the dry crease angle,
    wet crease angle, tear resistance, and Monsanto index, and allows products
    sensitive to anionic surfactants, e.g. waterproofing paraffin
    emulsions, to be added. Thus, cotton fabric was impregnated with 105
    g./m.2 aq. bath contg. N.N'-bis(hydroxymethyl)hexahydropyrimidin-2-one
    6.25, MgCl.6H2O 2, a 7:1 ethylene oxideisooctylphenol addn. product 0.2,
    and a 30% primary cationic polyethylene dispersion 5%. A similar fabric
    was impregnated with a similar aq. bath contg. 5% of a primary anionic
    polyethylene dispersion instead of the cationic dispersion. The 2 samples
    were squeezed to 80% impregnation, dried, and heated at 155.degree. for 5
    min. to give finished samples having dry crease angles in the warp of
    269.degree: and 239.degree., in the fill of 253.degree. and 230.degree.,
    wet crease angles in the in the warp 279.degree. and 271.degree., in the
    fill 257.degree. and 255.degree., Monsanto indexes 5 and 4-5, and
    Elmendorf tear strengths 688 g. and 624 g., resp. N.N'-Bis(hydroxymethyl)-
    4,5-dihydroxyimidazolidin-2-one was also used.
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